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Death From A Fall Into a Well.

Special to The State.

Anderson, Dec. 8. - While M:s JBL Hall, a most estimable young woman living about 12 miles from here, in the lower part of the county, was drawing a bucket of water from a well 65 feet deep early this morning the curbing around the weil gave way and she fell to the bottom, sustaining severe injuries. Her husband, who was near, immediately went down the well on the rope and caught his wife and held her head out of the water, which was deep, for over an hour before help could be ebtained. A physician reached the scene shortly after her removal from the well and it was found that her injuries were fatal, and she died late this after-

- A few days ago the wife of John Marsh, the negro condemned to death for rape, went to the jail to see her husband, and Sheriff Horn, noticing that the woman carried a small satchel, asked to be allowed to see its contents. The woman protested there was nothing in the satchel, but when it was opened it was found to contain two large knives. Of course the knives did not go into the jail. - Monroe Enquirer.

Severe Weather North.

Cleveland, Dec. 8.—Over six inches of snow has fallen in this section in thirty-six-hours. Today the government thermometer registered twenty two above. The bureau predicts a fall of ten above tonight.

Milwaukee, Wis., Dec. 8 .-Upper Michigan is embraced in the cold wave.

New York, Dec. 8. - Reports from all over the state tell of deep snow, high winds and damage to telegraph wires and traf-

Stops the Cough and Works off the Cold.

Laxative Bromo Quinine Tab ets cure a cold in one Cure, No Pay. Price, 25c.

-Mossrs. Ellis Simpson and Emanuel Helms, of New Salem township had a watery experience which they will not soon forget. They started to cross Richardson's creek, which was swollen by the rains, a few days ago, and their wagon and team of mules went down stream in stead of cross it. Messrs. Simp son and Helms left their wagon and got ashore. The mules were cut loose some distance below the ford and the wagon went a mile or more down stream. A hog, which was in a large box in the wagon, floated out and went down the stream about a mile and a half and was found two days later floating in the box in which it was fastened, alive and squealing for something to eat. - Monroe

-According to the law in New legislature must be passed on by the attorney general before the governor can sign it. Wouldn't it save a good deal of time and dist and a Mason, and I am get windy discussion if the law re- ting along well for both worlds. quired bills of importance to go through the same mill when presented? And, by the way wouldn't it be a good thing to adopt some such regulation for bills introduced in congress concerning which there might be some doubt as to their constitutionality, and to make them phraseo'ogically clear enough to show what they mean. without interpreters?-Wilmington Star.

Texas Growing smaller

New Survey Cuts off 72,000 Acres, and Leaves Property Owners in a Bad Plight.

Austin, Tex., Dec. 7. -Three portions of boundary lines of the State of Texas are in dispute, the latest being the eastern line north of Red river. There has just been filed in the State Land Office a report of work under the act of Congress, of 1901, requiring the Secretary of the Interior to establish the one hundredth meridian, which forms the eastern boundary of Texas, from Red river, in Childress county, north, to and including Lipseom county. It was first understood that the new line would give l'exas a strip of eight miles of the Indian Territory, but the report makes the startling calculation and fixes the meridian so that Texas loses a strip of land three-fourths of a mile wide, taking off that much of the eastern edge of Lipscomb, Hemphill, Wheeler, Collingsworth and Childress counties, a total loss of 112 balf-sections, or 72,000 acres, which has always been regarded as part of Texas. If this corner, as lately marked is made permanent, the people who own the property now on the west, formerly on the east tuitous advice. side of the line, will be without title and lose the land as a deed from Texas will be worthless. This late location will stand unless the State of Texas can prevail on Congress to authorize a joint survey and a new line to be marked.

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The Difference.

Sam Jones in one of his sermons tian I learned one thing and I want you to hear this. I was away from home and was robbed on the train. I had all the money me and my friend had. He didn't have any. They got mine-and we got off at the next station. That was when I was a sinner, and that was twenty five years ago. He was a steward in the Methodist Church, and I was a plain, common, simple sinner, that was all I was. When we got off at the station we strayed around there a short time. He

"Sam, I wonder if there is a Mason in this town?" I said, "A by law, or incur the penalty of fifty per cent which attaches in case of failure to do so Well," I said, "what do you want with a Moson?" He said, "1 can get money if I can find a Ma-

I said, "Ain't you a Methodist?" He said, "Yes." I said, "Why don't you go to a Methodist?" Why don't you go to a Methodist?" Osceola. Tuesday, January 6, 1908, I said, "Ain't you a Methodist?" "Oh, shucks," he said, "I go to the Mason," and he struck out and in a few minutes was back. I said, "How did you come out?" "All right," he said. "I got it." "Whom did you get it from?" "From a Mason." He says, "Sam, if you want to p York every bill passed by the go to heaven, you join the Methodists; but if you want a hold down here you join the Masons." So when I started in I just joined both, and tonight 1 am a Metho-

He is the Right Sort.

Asheville Citizen.

Judge Shaw is of the right sort An appeal was made to him the other day for mercy for an offender against the marriage relation on the ground .that he came of an excellent family. "That," responded the judge, "makes his offense all the more inexcu-able."

Major Jenkins Holds To The Collectorship

President Has Sent His Com rade's Nomination to the Senate-Crum Out in the Cold.

Special to The State.

Washington, Dec. 8 .-- Presi dent Roosevelt sent to the senate today the nomination of Maj. M1cah Jenkins to be collector of internal revenue for South Carolina That's rejection number one of the programme submitted to him of his difficulties in the State.

It is understood that the president was found to be averse to giving Dr. Crum, the Charleston negro, such a juicy plum as that latter to the marshalship if he preferred to have his headquar-Crum are much crestfallen over the announcement, as the fact that the president was considering until today and with such care the programme placed before him last week had encouraged them to believe the negro stood a good chance to land in the internal collectorship. The negro still remains south in the cold and the president is still undecided what to do about the marshal ship and the collectorship of the port of Charleston. He is said to be receiving quantities of gra-

Gen. E. W. Moise is Dead.

Sumter, Dec. 8. -Gen. E. W Moise died tonight at 7 o'clock after an illness of several weeks. He was a gallant Confederate soldier and a member of the Wade Hampton Cabinet.

This signature is on every box of the genuin Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets the remedy that cures a cold in one day

Contract to Be Let

To build a bridge over Hannah's Creek on the Ginger Cake road near the old McDow place, tells the following characteristic on the 20th of December at 10 story: Before I ever was a Chris- o'clock, a. m. Specifications to be made known on day of letting.

Also to build one house at the county home, on same day at 11 o'clock. Specifications to be made known at letting.

W. Q. CASKEY, Dec. 10 '02. Co. Sup'r.

AUDITORS NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that this of fice will be open from the 1st day of January 1903 to the 20th day of Pebuary 1903, for the purpose of receiving the returns of the tax payers of Lan

the returns of the tax payers of Lan caster County.

All persons having personal property in their possession or control as Manager, Holder, or as Husband Parent, Guardian, Trustee, Executor, Administrator, Receiver, Agent or Attorney on the 1st day of Jan. 1903, are required by law to list he same for Taxation within the time required. for Taxation within the time required

The Tax-payers will note at Real Estate acquired or improvements made since last return.

All male persons between the ages of 21 and 60 are liable for Poll Tax except those exempt by Law.

The Auditor or an assistant will at-

p m.
Picasan Valley. Wednesday. January 7, 1903, p m.
Belair, Thursday. January 8, p m.
Van Wyck, Friday, January 19, p m.
Dixie, Mohday January 12, a m.
Dwiztd, Monday, January 12, p m.
Tradesville. Tu sday, January 18

Taxahaw, Wednesday, January 14 Flat Creek Church, Thursday, Jan-

uary 15, p m. Dr. C. C. Welsh's, Friday, January Primus Saturday, January 17; a m Haile Gold Mine, Monday, January

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Ke.shaw, Tu.s lay and Wednesday,

January 2) and 21st.

Heath springs, Thurs sy. January Pleasan Hill, Friday, January 23

a m. W T Vanlandingham's, Monday, January 26.
It will be to the inte est of every tax

payer to make his return promptly and save the 50 per cent pena ty which attaches after the 20th of Feb-After the above dates I will be found in the Auditor's office to wait upon

the public Respectfully,
JNo-A Ccok,
Auditor, L. C.
Lancaster, S. C., Dec. 8, 1902.

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STEADY FLOW

STEIDY FLOW OF GUSTOMERS IN OUR STORE AT ALL TIMES.

True our November Sales were Greater than last week as furnishing a solution any month in the history of our business but we intend to sell as much in the next 20 days.

Ope reason for our increasing sales is that the now held by Maj. Jenkins, though intelligent trading public of Lancaster and adjoining Counties realize more and more every day ters in Charleston. Friends of that WE BUY at the VERY LOWEST CASH PRICES, add on our Small Profit for Cash and

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IMPORTANT FOR YOU TO SEE IS OUR Dress Goods and Silks, with all the NEW and pretty Trimmings.

Ladies and Misses Jackets - Monte Carlos in the most fashionable shapes.

Blankets and Comforts-A large assortment of these Cheap.

Underwear-All kinds-Men's, Ladies', Misses' and Children of all sizes.

Furs -- We have the handsomest on this market.

Hosiery-We sell especially good numbers at 10c, 15c, 20c and 25c.

Rugs and Art Squares-All kinds here-The large velvet rugs going fast for Xmas presents.

Clothing-A new supply just received.

SHOES-This is our brag line and we are gaining the Shoe trade of the County by offering nothing but all SOLID LEATHER such as the Hamilton & Brown, and Wolfe Bros., direct from the manufacturers.

Remember we have no old stock to offer—everything bright and new at rock bottom prices.

Respectfully, WILLIAMS-HUGHES CO.

- CASH STORE -

of W. S. L. Porter.

All persons indebted to the es. tate of W. S L Porter are hereby notified to make settlement at once; and all persons to whom he was indebted will present their claims properly sworn to or be barred in twelve months, to the

JULIA J. PORTER. Dec. 5, 1902-1m.

On a recent visit to New York City, I made arrangements by which I can negotiate loans of \$300 00 and upwards on first mortgages on improved cotton farms at 7 per cent interest on sums of \$1,000 00 and over, and 8 per cent interest on sums of less than \$1,000.

No commission charged, only a reasonable fee for abstract of title.

R E. WYLIE, Sept. 1, 1902-6m. Atty at Law.

A. R. SIMPSON.

BUILDER AND CONTRACTOR -

- Lancaster, S. C. -Solicits a bid on Carpenter work of

any kind you may wish done Dec 1, 1902.-3m.

Notice to Debtors and Creditors of R. Furman Twitty, Dec'd.

All persons having claims against R. Furman Twitty, deceased, are hereby notified to present the same duly attested at once, and all persons indebted to the intestate will make payment P. T. Twitty,

Administrator. Nov. 28, 1902.

Dr. E. S. McDOW, PHYSICIAN and SURGEON

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We keep a full line of the BEST DRUGS that money can say. Accuracy and Purity is our Motto and every prescription entrusted to us, is compounded by a graduate in Pharmacy.

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T. EUGENE FUNDERBURK. Sept. 3, 1902.

Corner Main and Church Streets.

Executor's Sale of Personal The Lancaster Cotton Mills Property

By virtue of the power vested in me as Executor of the late Evan Rollings, I will sell at his late residence on Tuesday, Decem ber 16, 1902, beginning at 9 o'clock, a. m., the following personal property, to wit:

All the household and kitchen furniture, farming implements, blacksmith tools, etc., of the late Evan Rollings. Also 2 mules and 3 good cows.

Terms of sale: CASH. R. E. ROLLINGS. Nov. 12, '02. Executor.

-All parties indebted to Elott & Crawford must come for ward and settle at once as these papers must be closed up.

Lancaster Mercantile Co.

\$100.00 REWARD

We hereby offer a reward of \$100.00 for the apprehension and conviction or for evidence to convict the party or parties who robbed Rev. W. F. Little of about \$650, on the night of the 17th inst., in the town of Lancaster, South Carolina, and an additional reward of 20 per cent of the mon ey recovered.

W. F. LITTLE, D. F. HELMS. Lancaster, S. C., Nov. 20, '02.

Has employment to offer to Two Hundred and Families in the new. Mill to be in operation in January 1903, and will teach beginners in the old mill until they are ready for work in the new mill. Employment for boys and girls from twelve years up. Good wages, prompt pay. Comfortable houses at reasonable rent. (The rent begin-ning after able to earn wages.) Good drinking water, and a good school for small children to attend on the place.

We prefer home people if they want the employment, and will give them the opportunity and help of learning:

For further particulars apply to or write to,

C. B. SKIPPER. Superintendent. Nov. 17-6w. Lancaster, S. C.

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